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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Daniel J. Kump, et al.
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REQUEST FOR A THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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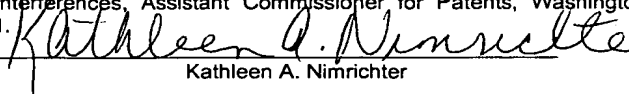
Sir:

The initial period for response to the outstanding Official Action, issued April 7, 2004, expired on July 7, 2004. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17, petition is hereby made for a three month extension of time up to and including October 7, 2004 in which to respond to the Official Action.

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